

First Day Hikes

The Department of
Conservation and
Recreation invites you
to join all 50 states on
January 1, 2024 for a
First Day Hike!



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Walden Pond State Reservation ~ 12:00-2:00pm~

DCR invites you to start off the New Year with a sprinkling of good company and a cup of hot chocolate after a hike around Walden woods!

Meet at the **Thoreau House Replica** for the 1-1.5 mile guided hike along the Accessibility Trail, Wyman Path, and Bean Field Road. **Hot chocolate will be available** at the Thoreau House Replica after the hike.

12:00-2:00 pm: Henry David Thoreau, portrayed by historian Richard Smith, will be in the replica house with the woodstove burning, entertaining folks with tales of his days at Walden Pond. Sponsored by Walden Woods Project.

First Day Hikes have been a DCR tradition since 1992.

*No pets are allowed at Walden Pond State Reservation.
All children must be accompanied by an adult.*

Walden Pond State Reservation is located at
915 Walden Street/Route 126 Concord, MA 01742
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